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## MRS. WILLIAMS DIES MARCH 1

Mrs. John S. Williams, One of the  
County's Foremost Women,  
Dies—Aged 89.

Mrs. John S. Williams, (nee Miss Henrietta Lindsay), was born in Bourbon county, July 1, 1827. She was married to Col. Archibald William Hamilton and came to this county, March 28, 1850. To this union was born Col. A. W. Hamilton and Mrs. Ida Hamilton Stoner, of this county, survivors of the deceased. Col. Hamilton died August 19, 1855. June 20, 1871, Mrs. Hamilton was married to Gen. John S. Williams, who died September 16, 1898. Mrs. Williams passed to her reward Wednesday evening, March 1, 1916, in her 90th year. On Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, funeral service was conducted at Ascension Episcopal church by the rector, Rev. W. R. Dye, and her remains were placed to rest in Machpelah cemetery.

Of this unusually bright and good woman, wife, mother, neighbor, friend and Christian, volumes could be written, for verily hers was a life of wisdom and helpfulness, replete with acts of love.

As a girl, she was bright, cheery, and took to books, delving for knowledge where profoundest of scholars had pondered. As a wife, she was thoughtful, helpful, and loving. A mother's love went out for her children; in them she saw great possibilities and in this she was happy at heart in the realistic man and woman. Hers was a life worthy of emulation, for indeed the world has been made better by this dignified and most generous woman.

Born of illustrious parentage, reared and educated in Kentucky, attractive with feminine graces, strong in mind, elevating in thought, true to the controlling principles that have made leaders famous in the uplift of mankind, with powers of presentation, she was a source of joy and strength to those with whom she came in contact. A leader among the most prominent in social, state and the nation, performed assigned duties and performed them well and above criticism; the trust of women was she.

To her loved ones, yea embracing all of earth's, she leaves the richest of heritages, faith, hope and love, as applicable to the material and spiritual as well. Reviewing the life of this good woman there is a vision commendable, praiseworthy and gracious, inciting suc-

ceeding generations to deeds lofty and inspiring.

She lived through a period when the souls of this loved Southland were tried as by fire; bleeding, torn; destruction and desolation as written on every page; and hurt materially, her great heart went out in pity for those who had overpowered and wronged, and her spirit left its clay tenement in love for all classes, all people.

In state she was on the mountain tops, a star at its zenith. Her home life was that of a love character, posing in firmness and queenly bearings. In her church, in active life, she was a leader. The question was, what is needed, and to duty's call she responded most generously.

The poor found in her a friend and whether white or black, none ever went away empty handed.

Her life exemplified this sentiment: "Do your duty to God, yourself and your fellow-man and leave the rest to Him who doeth all things well." It has been well said—every page of life teaches the truth—"The paths of glory lead but to the grave."

"What is death? Oh, what is death?  
'Tis the snapping of the chain,  
'Tis the breaking of the bowl,  
'Tis relief from every pain,  
'Tis freedom of the soul,  
'Tis the lifting of the sun,  
To rise again tomorrow,  
A brighter course to run,  
To sink again in sorrow.  
Such is death; yes, such is death.

"What is death? Oh, what is death?  
'Tis slumber to the weary,  
'Tis rest to the forlorn,  
'Tis shelter to the dreary,  
'Tis peace amid the storm,  
'Tis entrance to our home,  
'Tis passage to that God  
Who bids His children come  
When their weary course is trod.  
Such is death; yes, such is death.  
Father, bless, comfort and care for  
those in sorrow.

Best home-killed meats,  
at Vanarsdell's.

### Millinery Display.

On Friday and Saturday, March 10th and 11th, we will have on display our elaborate line of pattern hats, and cordially invite the public to call and inspect same.

Roberts & Mastin.

Try us for a nice steak or roast.  
Sanitary Meat Market.

Miss Sallie Clarke, buyer, and  
Miss Lydia Clarke, designer, are  
now in the Eastern markets making  
purchases of the latest creations  
in new spring millinery.

MRS. K. O. CLARKE.

### Drapery Extra Width Shades

## KELLER'S RUGS—RUGS—RUGS

Crex Rugs, Ingrain Rugs, Brussels Rugs, Axminster Rugs, all sizes and all grades.

CARPETS, MATTINGS, LINOLEUMS, SHADES

J. H. KELLER  
Main Street

Tobacco Canvass

## WANTED!

Hustling agents in all parts of the county to solicit

### SUBSCRIPTIONS

We are willing to pay for such service

## The Advocate

### SISTER OF S. P. HUNT DIES IN WINCHESTER

Mrs. Sallie A. Gilbert, aged 71 years, died at her home in Winchester Friday after an illness of several weeks. She was a woman of lovely Christian character and had spent her many years in the service of the Master, being the wife of Rev. J. J. Gilbert, of the Baptist church, who survives. Besides her husband, Mrs. Gilbert is survived by a son, Dr. Walter Stewart, of Fayette county; two daughters, Mrs. Mariah Hodgkin and Mrs. Charles Parrish, of Clark county; three brothers, Sim P. Hunt, of Mt. Sterling; J. W. and George J. Hunt, of Clark county, and a sister, Mrs. Katherine Hunt.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Primitive Baptist church. Burial was in the Winchester cemetery.

Besides her brother, Mr. S. P. Hunt, Mrs. Gilbert had many other relatives and friends in this county, who will learn of her death with much sorrow.

### UNION MEETING

There will be a union meeting of all Christian Endeavor and Epworth League Societies of the city next Friday evening at the Christian church at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. C. P. Evans, the Field Secretary and Mr. C. E. Martin, the former State President of Christian Endeavor, will both deliver addresses. A good program has been arranged. All young people and members of the above societies should not fail to attend this meeting. There will be a social at the close of the meeting.

The banner will be awarded to the society having the largest attendance.

Good corn, 3 cans for 25 cents,  
at Vanarsdell's.

### APPOINTED ADMINISTRATOR

Upon the written request and motion of Miss Olive Campbell and Mrs. Sophia Randall, sisters and only heirs at law of the late Harry Campbell, Jr., R. L. Stewart was appointed by the court as administrator of the estate of said Harry Campbell, Jr., deceased, and thereupon qualified by taking the oath and executing bond for the faithful performance of his duties as such administrator with R. A. Chiles as surety.

### NO MEETING

It now being in doubt as to who compose the Fiscal Court, no meeting was held yesterday and none will be held until the litigation now in the Court of Appeals is determined, which it is thought will be within the next ten days.

Fresh caught fish dressed to order.  
Sanitary Meat Market.

### TRIANGLE PICTURES

Judy & Gay, lessees of the Tabb Theatre, always on the lookout for the best to be had in the picture line, have decided to give to their patrons a change in their program and have contracted for Triangle Features to commence on Monday, March 13th, and be shown thereafter every Monday and Wednesday. The Triangle Program consists of a drama and comedy each day, the drama consisting of a four, five or six reel feature and the comedy of a two, three or four reel feature. Although it has cost the management a great deal more to give their patrons this added program they have assured us that they will show Triangle at the same prices as their other features: 5 cents to children under 12, and 10 cents to adults.

The Triangle Program is produced by the three greatest directors now making motion pictures in the persons of Griffith, who directed "The Birth of a Nation," Thos. H. Ince, who directed "An Alien," and Mack Sennett, the greatest comedy director living.

### New Styles.

In High Boots for Spring, 1916, White Kid, White Canvas, Grey Kid, Brown Kid, Blue Kid, and Green Kid, lace and button. These are strictly new things for spring wear.

Although White Kid and White Canvas are leading, Grey and Brown is a very close second. These boots have to be seen to be appreciated. You will find them now on display at Punch, Graves & Co., Exclusive Shoe Store. There all new things are found in Spring and Summer high grade foot wear, for Ladies, Misses and Children. The Men and Boys will also find the newest and best things in Shoes and Oxfords at the above store. This is one of the largest and most progressive shoe stores in Eastern Kentucky.

Ladies, we have learned from talking to the gentlemen, "Punch, Graves & Co.", that the above leathers are hard to get, and they invite you to buy early.

### RENTS FARM

John D. Henry has rented the 337 acre farm, belonging to Mr. Charles Frazier, near Plum Lick, and took possession March 1st. He will cultivate forty-five acres of corn, twenty acres of tobacco, cut some rye and meadow and have about 185 acres of bluegrass. The price paid was \$2,000.

Good green peas, 3 cans for 25 cents,  
at Vanarsdell's.

## HENRY L. JONES DIES SUDDENLY

Friends in this City Shocked to  
Learn of the Death of this  
Popular Young Man.

The sad news that Mr. Henry L. Jones, of the Grassy Lick neighborhood, died at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington at 1:10 o'clock Tuesday morning will cause much sorrow in this city and county.

Mr. Jones was stricken Sunday night and on Monday afternoon was rushed to Lexington, where an operation was performed and it was discovered he was suffering from gangrene poisoning. He only lingered a few hours after the operation but retained consciousness until the end. He expressed his willingness to meet his Master face to face and his fervent prayer was "Not my will but Thine be done."

Mr. Jones was only twenty-three years of age and was married on October 5, 1915 to Miss Mary Dean, daughter of C. L. Dean. He was a son of Mrs. Overton M. Jones and was a young man of sterling character, possessed with a faculty for making and retaining his friends through his sincerity and deservingness of trust. When a young man just entering the arena of life, just when the flower of youth has blossomed into its fullness and when living seems at its sweetest ebb it is indeed sad and difficult to understand why, with such bright prospects, he should be called to enter his Heavenly home, but He that doeth all things well, knoweth best, and we all must bow our heads in humble submission to the will of the Master. Mr. Jones was popular with old and young alike and his friends and acquaintances are heart-broken over the sad news.

The remains were brought to his home at Grassy Lick Tuesday morning and the funeral will take place at the Grassy Lick Methodist church this (Wednesday) morning at ten o'clock, burial in Machpelah cemetery and services by Rev. West.

Besides his wife and mother he is survived by a sister, Elizabeth and a brother, James.

The Advocate joins countless friends in extending deepest sympathy in this sad hour.

Fresh kale every day,  
at Vanarsdell's.

Fresh kale, lettuce, onions, sweet potatoes, parsley, salsify, tomatoes, and cucumbers.

Sanitary Meat Market.

100

### Solid Gold Broaches and Bar Pins

Set with Diamonds, Pearls and Opals  
at less than half price, from \$1 to \$10.

100

### Solid Gold Cuff Buttons from \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Ladies 20 year gold filled Watches,  
Elgin movement : : \$10.00

8-day Mahogany Clocks : : \$3.00

This sale runs from March 1st to 11th

J. W. Jones, The Jeweler  
Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

Capital  
\$50,000.00

Surplus and Profits  
\$100,000.00

If to a little you keep adding a little,  
it will soon be a lot.—*Hesiod*

Try this at the

**Mt. Sterling National Bank**

MT. STERLING, KY.

### Commissioner's Sale

#### MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT.

Nancy J. Thomson ..... Plaintiff  
Vs.  
Nannie L. Gay & Watt M. Gay  
Defendants

Notice of Sale in Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, 1916, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will, on the

20th Day of March, 1916

at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being Court Day), proceed to offer for sale, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, at the Court House door, in Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

A lot of land lying in the city of Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Kentucky, on the south side of West High street, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the E. W. Heflin lot; thence with the South margin of said street N. 82 W. 70 feet, to a stake, corner to the lot conveyed to Mary D. Cook; thence, leaving said street, with the East side of said Mrs. Cook lot S. 8 degrees, 3 minutes W. 371 1/2 feet to a stake in the line of Wilson, etc.; thence with the Wilson (now Harper) line S. 84 1/2 E. 70 feet to a stake, a corner made in the line of the land of the Brown Estate; thence N. 8 degrees 10 minutes E. 371 1/2 feet to the street, the point of the beginning, being the same land conveyed to the said Nannie S. Gay by M. S. Brown, etc., by deed of record in Deed Book 65, page 364, of the Montgomery County Court Clerk's office, to produce \$605.08, so ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid.

Bond payable to the undersigned Commissioner.

WM. A. SAMUELS,  
35-3t Master Commissioner M. C. C.

Sweet potatoes at Vanarsdell's.

### PEOPLE AND ROADS

When a very amiable gentleman steps into his car or climbs into a buggy and takes a drive out into the country and gets stuck in the mud of a bad road he immediately calls down something besides blessings upon the heads of the people responsible for such conditions.

It never enters his head that perhaps he himself is one of those people. But he is.

He is one of them because he has not done his part toward compelling our officials to see that the roads are in proper condition. He has not raised his voice in behalf of better country roads, or if he has it has been so weak and half-hearted that it has neither been heard nor heeded.

It is the duty and it should be the pleasure of every citizen to talk and work for better country roads, for better roads mean more prosperous conditions generally. The man in town is just as much interested in the conditions of roads as the farmer, for when roads are bad and the marketing is difficult and expensive the farmer is less prosperous, and this in turn is detrimental to the best interests of the man in town.

This is an era of road building, and the time is opportune for us to rise to the occasion and look to the condition of our own roads.

We, as a people are not paupers and there is no occasion for poor roads in this community. That such roads do exist is simply an evidence that we as citizens are not alive to our opportunities or our duty, and that so long as we sleep we may expect our officials to share our slumbers.

While we are simply jogging along others in other communities are building better roads and reaping the financial results.

Are we to be satisfied with being the tail of the cow?

Boost for good roads and whoop up the boosting!

New garden seed at J. B. White's.

### THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

On election day, he's the colored friend and brother. At State Conventions to name delegates-at-large to national conventions, he's only a half brother.

The question was debated at length and decided definitely at the Republican State Convention, which instructed for Fairbanks for President, pursuant to the counsel of Uncle Bill Allen, "let's vote for Fairbanks and then, when we see he has to fail, let's vote for somebody else."

The platform declares for protection and ship subsidies, for the maintenance of American sovereignty in the Philippines "until it can justly and honorably be withdrawn," for "a foreign policy, firm, impartial, consistent and fearless," for the protection of the lives and property of American citizens at home and abroad, for a sound currency system.

The Wilson Administration is denounced for subjecting American industries and labor to "competition with underpaid foreign labor," for failure to produce an adequate revenue by tariff regulations, for not decreasing the cost of living, and for its course as to Mexico.

And then, with an unexpected touch of humor, the Congress is called on to make adequate appropriation to prevent the spread of trachoma.

If the indictment against the Wilson Administration by the Kentucky Republican platform is the worst that can be drawn, the one hope of Republican success lies in the spread of trachoma.

It will be hard to persuade an electorate with its eyes open that we would be better off were we now at war with Mexico, that the difference in our favor between exports and imports is not the greatest in our history, that underpaid foreign labor is not engaged in cutting its own throat instead of competing with American industries and labor, that the prohibition of foreign-made goods is needed now or that we can continue to sell abroad after that war without buying in return if the countries now at war are to pay their way as they go, or that a President who puts honor first is lacking in firmness and consistency. If the Republicans have any better financial system to offer than that brought into being by the Wilson Administration, they should come forward with it.

The issue in the coming Presidential election, unless it should chance that German submarines have already sunk American ships and destroyed American lives, will be Roosevelt and War, with or without provocation, and Wilson and Peace, if peace can be maintained with honor. The planks in the Kentucky platform will figure as little then as will their candidate at Chicago in June, or did their colored half brother at Phoenix Hill—Louisville Times.

Henry Ford's little boom for President seems to have started with Henry and ended with the same fellow.

If you want to know the truth about a man, ask any one but the man himself.

Five-gallon oil cans with pump, \$1.00 each, at J. B. White's.

Everybody preaches, some practice, but very few ever practice what they preach.

For Sale.

My house and lot on Samuels avenue. Ewing A. Flynn.

36-2t Phones 48 and 727.

God loves the man who loves his country. Where do you get on?

Boarders Wanted

I take this method of notifying the public that I am prepared to take table boarders, also roomers.

Terms upon application. My house is centrally located, being on North Mayville street.

(35-2t) Mrs. T. H. McCarty.

Home killed veal at Vanarsdell's.

Ancient "Remedies."

Some of the sufferers from coughs and colds may feel disposed to try one of the remedies recommended by Pliny.

These include wolf's liver dissolved in hot wine, honey mixed with the gall of a bear and powders made from rabbit skins and bullock's horns.

These should be pounded together.

These should be applied to the skin.

## FREE LIGHT SERVICE

For a short period only, commencing March 1st, we will accept contracts for wiring your residence at a special campaign price, which figures will be cheerfully furnished upon request at the nearest district office of the Company.

### SPECIAL

Electricity for lighting purposes will be furnished absolutely free of charge during the month of March to each new subscriber accepting the above offer. As this period is limited we would suggest that our proposition be investigated at once.

## KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY

### TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATE DECLINES 25 PER CENT.

While the latest report of the Bureau of the Census shows that in 1914 tuberculosis caused over 10.5 per cent. of all deaths in the registration area of the United States, The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis points out in a statement that the death rate from this disease is steadily decreasing, having declined from 200.7 per 100,000 population in 1904 to 146.8 in 1914. This would indicate, the Association claims, that the anti-tuberculosis movement organized in the last ten years is having a marked effect on the mortality of tuberculosis, especially since the death rate from this disease seems to be declining more rapidly than the general death rate from all causes.

Commenting on this decrease in the rate from tuberculosis, the Bureau of the Census says: "As a result of a more general understanding of the laws of health, the importance of fresh air, etc., due in part, no doubt, to the efforts of the various societies for the prevention of tuberculosis, there has been a most marked and gratifying decrease during recent years in the mortality from this scourge of civilization. In only a decade—from 1904 to 1914—the death rate from tuberculosis in all its forms fell from 200.7 to 146.8 per 100,000, the decline being continuous from year to year. This is a drop of more than 25 per cent."

As an indication of the growth of the campaign against tuberculosis, The National Association for

the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis shows that in 1905, when the campaign was definitely started, there were in the United States only thirty-nine anti-tuberculosis associations, 115 sanatoria and hospitals, twenty special clinics, no open air schools, and not more than 5,000 people actively interested in the prevention of this disease. At the close of the year 1915 there were over 1,500 anti-tuberculosis associations, 600 sanatoria and hospitals, 450 dispensaries, 800 open air schools, and over 100,000 people actively interested in the prevention of tuberculosis. Besides this, the fundamental truths that tuberculosis is a communicable, preventable and curable disease have been carried into almost every village and hamlet and to millions of men, women and children in a great variety of ways.

The National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis, 105 East 22nd St., New York City, will gladly send literature on tuberculosis to those who wish it.

### Residence for Sale.

My residence of six rooms and kitchen, located on Richmond ave., is for sale privately. Natural gas for heating and lighting. Large barn, corn crib, meat house, hen house, and all necessary outbuildings. Large lot with grass for cow or horse; fine garden.

C. B. Stephens,  
Phone 603. at Advocate office.

### HELD FOR BOOTLEGGING

Henry Smoot, a prominent young farmer of Nicholas county, was tried here before United States Commissioner Wood on the charge of selling whisky without a license, and was held to the Federal grand jury at Frankfort, which convenes March 13th. He executed bond in the sum of \$500 for his appearance.

The merchant who wants to sell goods to our people must first let them know he has the goods to sell. The mountain never goes to market.

### A FEW DROPS

### OF BOURBON POULTRY CURE

In the drinking water  
Makes Hens Lay Amazingly  
One 500 bottle makes 12  
gallons of medicine. At drug-  
stores or by mail postpaid. Val-  
uable poultry book free.

BOURBON REMEDY CO., Lexington, Ky.

### HAWSERS OF VAST STRENGTH

Monster Steamers Use Steel Ropes Which It Would Seem Could Withstand Any Power.

After laborious attempts to tow the Thessaloniki into port the Greek liner Patris arrived at New York and her captain reported that three heavy steel hawsers had parted during the effort to save the disabled ship. The lines that parted were 4½-inch hawsers, which means that a strain of 31 tons, or 62,000 pounds, had been exerted before the break.

In general towing and lighter ship work a three-inch steel hawser is the usual line used. This consists of six steel wire strands tightly wound on a central hemp which is soaked in oil, giving a certain pliability. This sort of hawser is also used by some of the steamship lines for permanent moorings. The breaking point of the three-inch steel line is about 23 tons. Its cost is 29 cents a foot.

The largest of steel towing lines is the one six inches in circumference, the breaking strain of which is 54 tons, or 108,000 pounds. Because of the weight of this line and the difficulty of handling it the 4½-inch hawser is the one mostly used for heavy towing.

In bulk the biggest hawsers used in an American port were those on the Hamburg-American Liners *Vaterland* and *Imperator*. For permanent moorings these great liners used 24-inch hemp hawsers besides smaller lines of steel wire and hemp.

### MADE A QUICK RECOVERY

Elevator Man Fainted When Leg Was Crushed, but Soon Got Back on Job—It Was Cork.

When the doors of the service elevator at the Alexandria closed unexpectedly just as Joe Brousett was starting the machine it jammed his leg, mashing it fearfully. Brousett fainted. Fortunately the elevator stopped without dragging him.

"Doc" Bassett, superintendent of service, called an ambulance and hurried Brousett to his home. He appeared dazed. A physician was called. Mr. Bassett returned to the hotel and had a new man on the elevator.

Three hours later he entered the elevator and was astounded to see Brousett operating it. For a moment he thought it was a ghost, but Brousett assured him that everything was all right.

"You see, that was a cork leg that got smashed," he said. "The accident brought back so vividly my original accident that I fainted and only came to by the time I reached home. Then I put on my reserve leg and came back to work."—Los Angeles Times.

### Grand Duke's Playful Way.

The Grand Duke Nicholas is not a man who talks, but he has a playful way with him at times, according to the story told by Julius West in "Solders of the Czar." Some time ago, during an inspection, the grand duke was standing next to the emperor, a few yards away from a group of generals. He ordered General Russky, then in command of the forces in that region, to step forward. The grand duke next ordered a private soldier to come forward and hack off the general's epaulettes. "We can imagine," says Mr. West, "the dismay of the other generals as the soldier obeyed.

"Now cut mine off," was the next order. The soldier did so. "Now put them on his shoulders."

It was the grand duke's playful little way of promoting Russky to the rank of adjutant general, the highest in the Russian army.

### New Indigestible Dish.

Did you ever eat a knish? No. Then you have missed a good attack of indigestion and perhaps the undertaker. A knish is something like a dumpling, only infinitely more so. It is made up of dough, chopped potatoes, onions, cheese, kasha, butter, eggs, and other cereals, weighs a ton or less and costs five cents, normally. Since it became a war baby it costs four cents under certain conditions. It is the great piece of resistance on New York's eastside. Every store sells knishes, and the competition is so great that some of the merchants are giving coupons to buyers. A certain number of these coupons entitles the holder to a certificate and a hack to Bellevue with ten knishes.

### Gains Four Pounds in Three Hours.

Raymond Tilton, twenty-one years old, performed the unusual feat of gaining four pounds of weight in less than three hours in order to become a soldier in the United States army, reports the Cincinnati Chronicle. Tilton, whose parents live in Richmond, Ky., desired to join the infantry, and he tipped the scale at 123 pounds, being three pounds shy. He was notified that the government is strict in regard to this matter, and was told to return when he acquired the necessary aroidupolis. Tilton invested in a 35-cent meal and imbibed freely of water. Then it was found that he had gained four pounds, one more than the government required. He was accepted.

### What We Wish to Know.

An aged Frenchman, who has worked out a system for forecasting the weather, claims we are to have a succession of twenty-six very severe winters, commencing with the present one. If he can tell us how long the European war is to last, however, it will be of greater interest.—Oshkosh Northwestern.

### HERO WORSHIP TOO COMMON

Absurd Failing Which Seems to Have Remarkable Hold on Majority of Mankind.

Americans, like most other people, are disposed to do a moderate amount of hero worshiping. One phase of it, says the Kansas City Star, is the respectful honoring given on all subjects to a man who has made a success in some one line. If a man is highly successful in manufacturing toothbrushes we assume that he knows all about art and science.

"There is Smith," we say. "He is a phenomenal maker of socks. He can turn them out at the rate of 10,000 pairs a minute. He is getting rich by his ability to make socks so rapidly without dropping stitches in them. Besides, it is said the socks really wear well. That being the case, what do you suppose he thinks about the ethics of that Chicago baby case. Let us get his opinion as to the desirability of encouraging the modern schools of art. We surely must ask him what to do about typhoid vaccination. When does he think the war will end?"

Of course, Smith may never have given any attention to these subjects. He may have been so busy perfecting the machine for speeding up without dropping stitches that he may have no ideas whatever on the European war or the immortality of the soul or the higher criticism of the Bible or the advisability of masticating one's food thoroughly, or the relative advantages of Corot and Troyon as painters.

Still, we write him letters and ask him his views. Unless he is a very remarkable man he takes the questions seriously, is immensely flattered by them, and by and by comes to think that having been successful in making socks he must be equally successful in every other line of human endeavor.

Of course, if he fails for this sort of thing, in time he is bound to make some perfectly fool statement. When he does this, we are all as likely as not to turn and rend him for being an ass, when the original trouble was with those of us who insisted on his qualifying as an expert on subjects that he knew nothing about.

### FROM THE GARDEN OF EDEN

World's Markets Supplied With Dates Which Are Grown on Spot Believed to Be the Site.

The London markets and stalls are covered with dates which come from the Garden of Eden.

A palm tree yields approximately 400 pounds of fruit annually, which represents an income of about £8. It takes nearly eight years to attain this state of perfection, but when once reached, it continues for almost a century.

Dates can be prepared in many ways, and are packed according to the country to which they are being sent. For instance, dates destined for America are hand-picked, as the Americans like them sun-dried; while we like them "wet." Our dates are prepared in a special manner—they are piled on matting and trampled into a mass.

The date is not the only product of the palm. The stem furnishes a kind of timber, and the fibers, twisted, become rope. Then, again, the buds are quite fit to eat, and are considered by some to be a delicacy; and peasants, too poor to afford a house, weave the fronds into matting, and so make quite a serviceable habitation. Crushed date-stones form food for the cattle.—London Answers.

### Regimental Journalism.

Steps have been taken by the authorities of the British museum to secure a complete collection as possible of the regimental periodicals, the production of which is one of the curious features of the present war. Some of these publications are printed and others typewritten. They are not quite without analogy in the history of past wars. The British who were besieged at Mafeking during the Boer war contrived to keep going a little journal issued daily, "shells permitting." In the wars of about a century ago Lord Exmouth, while carrying out a blockade of French ports, had a printing press set up for the amusement of officers and men engaged in that tedious duty. They did not attempt to produce any original records or literary matter of their own, but they printed several considerable works, and printed them, it is said, very well.

### Rabies.

A case of rabies reported in England last spring was the first in that country since 1902, and occurred in a dog that was being held in the six months' quarantine which the English law imposes on all dogs brought into the country to prevent the introduction of this disease. Rabies was banished from England by muzzling. Australia and New Zealand have never had any cases of rabies, and a system of quarantine and inspection prevents its introduction. Sweden, Norway and Denmark are practically free from it.—Scientific American.

### Awakening.

"Geraldine is growing cynical," said one girl. "Why do you think so?" inquired the other.

"She confided to me that she doesn't believe half the poetry people send in valentines comes from the heart."



## Efficiency

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### "IN LITTLE OLD NEW YORK"

The Women's City Club, of New York City, according to a newspaper of that city, was recently visited by a representative of that paper, who refers to his observations as follows:

"On the eighteenth floor of the Vanderbilt Hotel are the club rooms. In the crimson and mahogany dining room, in the mauve rest room, the round table, in fact in every apartment quiet little parties of women were gathered, and from most of them rose the blue haze of cigarette smoke. The ways that are popularly supposed to accompany cigarette smoking in women were not there. The smokers quietly discussed prison reform, pure milk, better schools, clean streets and other various topics

that form the aims of the women's city clubs."

Those members who may not enjoy smoking have the privilege of a "non smoking" room.

### For Sale

My house and lot on Samuels avenue. Ewing A. Flynn. 36-2t. Phones 48 and 727.

### SO SAY WE ALL

It matters not to us whether it is a Greene bill or the Hutchcraft bill so the saloons are closed in Covington and Newport on Sunday.—Elizabethtown News.

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An aged Frenchman, who has worked out a system for forecasting the weather, claims we are to have a succession of twenty-six very severe winters, commencing with the present one. If he can tell us how long the European war is to last, however, it will be of greater interest.—Oshkosh Northwestern.

What We Wish to Know.

"Geraldine is growing cynical," said one girl.

"Why do you think so?" inquired the other.

"She confided to me that she doesn't believe half the poetry people send in valentines comes from the heart."

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce

**JUDGE JOHN W. RILEY, OF ROWAN COUNTY**

as a Democratic candidate for Congress in this, the Ninth Congressional District, at the August primary, 1916.

### AN EXPENSIVE LUXURY

The Legislature only has about a week left in which to consider hundreds of matters which ought to have had its thoughtful attention for the past fifty days. As a result of the dilatory tactics of the politicians practically nothing has yet been done. Naturally, in the hurry, many vicious laws will be enacted which ought never be placed on our statute books. The most important subject, that of a fairer revenue and taxation law, has been postponed until the session of 1918. In the meantime, the Governor will appoint a commission—the members of which will probably never meet—if we can judge the future by the past, but the taxpayers can expect to pay dearly for such luxuries as a session of the Legislature. In fact, most of them seem to be perfectly satisfied by the thought that the less done the better, and if a good law, by accident, happens to go over, it will doubtless be declared unconstitutional on the ground that by increasing efficiency and economy, it interferes with privileges so long enjoyed, without complaint from the public, as to have become vested.

Would it not be a good idea for our merchants to have special Saturday sales at least once a month? The merchants of other towns do this regularly and the towns benefit by it. That is a sure way of getting a crowd to town, and when the people come they always find something to buy. Get together, gentlemen, and let the people know you mean business by advertising bargains in the Mt. Sterling Advocate. A man who stands still never gets anywhere. It's "pep" that does the work nowadays.

### CONGRATULATIONS

We desire to congratulate our highly esteemed contemporary, the Gazette, upon the completion of the 32nd year of its existence. This splendid weekly journal was founded by the late Hon. John C. Wood and is being ably edited and managed by his son, Stanley O. Wood.

In the President's recent trying hour, when his foreign policy was in the balance on the Gore resolution, in the upper House of Congress, it is gratifying to all Kentuckians to know that he had no more loyal friends than Senators Beckham and James.

Gov. Stanley says "the people must send men to the Legislature who are business men." Why prescribe this qualification for members of the Legislature only?

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### HARVEY EXONERATED

W. B. Harvey, Representative in the General Assembly from Webster county, was completely exonerated by the report of the committee appointed to investigate the charges against him by Representative J. D. Pumphrey, of Fleming county, in the debate on the floor of the House over the Statewide prohibition bill, which was made to the House Monday and which was signed by every member of the committee. The committee made no report on the charges made by Mr. Harvey in regard to liquor contributions to the campaigns of Governor Stanley, but referred to the "counter charges made by Mr. Harvey against Mr. Pumphrey." The only counter-charge of which the newspaper men have any recollection in which Mr. Harvey used the name of Mr. Pumphrey were that the attack on him by Pumphrey was a deliberate frame-up on the part of the wets in the House and out of it.

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### CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP

(By Sidney Warren Mase.)

God gave the rose its crimson hue,  
And made the lily white;  
He made the violet of blue,  
And all things fair and bright;  
The rainbow with its varied tints  
He painted in the sky,  
And many by sundry schemes and  
hints  
Has profited thereby.

The vernal glow of leaves and grass  
And ruddy gleam the flowers  
That in the springtime come to pass  
In this bright world of ours,  
Are tokens of the master plan  
Of One who rules on high,  
And bear a message unto Man  
To build and beautify.

And so the moral of this verse,  
We feel is very plain:  
This earth, the burdened with a  
curse,  
Was founded not in vain,  
Which is the simple reason why  
Men live and strive and win,  
Who build and paint and beautify  
The world they're living in.

### TOM HENDRICKS

Tom Hendricks, the "Prince of Humorists," will appear at the High School auditorium Thursday evening.

This will be the fifth of the Lyceum entertainments given under the auspices of the schools and the enthusiasm with which this number is patronized will be a deciding factor as to whether a course will be undertaken for next season. At present, there is a deficit which will have to be met and if it is definitely demonstrated that Mt. Sterling will not support a high class Lyceum series, the students of the schools will not attempt a course again.

Mt. Sterling is the largest cattle market in Kentucky, is one of the largest tobacco markets in Kentucky, is one of the best business cities in Kentucky, has good schools, good churches, an abundance of wealth and prosperity and is THE BEST CITY IN KENTUCKY IN WHICH TO LIVE, but has not, like Ashland, Maysville, Owingsville, Danville, Frankfort and many other cities, supported a Lyceum Course.

Is it not better for the youth to attend a Lyceum entertainment than a street fair, or a circus, or to spend the time in some really harmful diversion?

Let the citizens of the community get behind this worthy proposition and assist the students of the schools in their efforts to have a good, wholesome form of entertainment.

### MARRIED 25 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Raburn entertained at their home on the Grassy Lick pike Sunday with a turkey dinner, that being their 25th wedding anniversary. The guests were J. W. Henson, wife and son, Paul; W. F. Cowens and family; Joe Botts and family; W. A. Boone and family; L. T. Kratzer, wife and son, Robert Earl, and the Misses Mona and Newell Trimble from Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Raburn received several nice pieces of silverware. Everyone enjoyed themselves, especially the dinner, which consisted of oyster soup, turkey, ham and chicken salad, salmon salad, pies, ice cream, cake and coffee and many other good things to eat.

The guests departed at a late hour, hoping to be with Mr. and Mrs. Raburn on their fiftieth anniversary.

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### "PAT" BEDFORD

#### IN INDIANAPOLIS

Mr. "Pat" Bedford, who left here last fall, is now a mounted policeman in the city of Indianapolis, according to a message received here by friends of Mr. Bedford. He obtained the position through the influence of a friend and it is said that he is "making good."

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### COUNTY CLERK BUSY

County Clerk Keller Greene and his obliging deputy, Mr. L. R. Douglas have been kept quite busy the past week.

Among the new transfers are the following:

L. N. Summey, etc., to R. R. Crouch 25 acres on Rogers Mill road, \$3,525.00.

R. Marion Ford, etc., to Bingham Anderson, small tract of land at Sideview, \$525.00.

E. R. Little, etc., to A. Sid Hart, 117.88 acres (known as Jno. C. Trimble tract) on Hinkston pike, \$13,674.08.

S. Clay Donahue, etc., to J. P. Belcher, one-half interest in lot at Howard's Mill, \$300.00.

Reuben H. Dale, etc., to C. T. Dunavant, house and lot on Clay street, \$2,200.00 cash and assumption of \$2,800.00 mortgage.

J. A. Scobee, etc., to A. R. Turley, 8½ acres on Slate creek, \$330.00, and exchange of other land.

Jno. D. Greenwade, etc., to S. P. Greenwade, 49.9 acres on Hinkston creek, exchange other lands, assumption of mortgage, etc.

S. P. Greenwade, etc., to Jno. D. Greenwade, Locust street property, \$1.00 and other considerations.

W. A. Taulbee, etc., to Omer Calvert, etc., \$1,700.00, 28.4 acres on Hinkston creek.

A. R. Turley, etc., to Virgil Scobee, 8½ acres on Slate creek, \$1,000.00 in payments.

Mark Trimble, etc., to D. M. Stewart, two lots on Spring street, \$1.00 and other considerations.

Letcher Banister, etc., to H. S. Caywood and N. H. Fletcher, 199.84 acres on Plum Lick, \$1,700.00.

Mrs. Eliza Dale, etc., to Mrs. Mary A. Hastic, 29 acres on Flat Rock pike, \$2,850.00.

W. B. Robinson, etc., to Richmond D. Turley, 28 acres (known as Moss land) on Spencer creek, \$4,325.00.

T. B. Hamilton to Sherman Hamilton, etc., three-tenths interest in Hinkston pike tracts, \$3,100.00.

M. M. Phillips, etc., to A. F. Shields, house and lot in Matilee, \$600.00.

J. H. Wilson, etc., to Anise Hunt, etc., house and lot on West Winn street, \$1,550.00.

Earl B. Quisenberry to Lutie, Ola and Emily Quisenberry, 39 acres near Corinth church, \$1.00 and other considerations.

### Cows for Sale

A few fine registered Jersey cows and heifers for Sale. Some fresh, some soon to be fresh.

27-tf. Jno. T. Woodford.

Aunt Jemima's Pan-Cake and Buck-Wheat Flour, 10 cents per package, at J. B. White's.

### CALENDAR

## THE TABB THEATRE

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8th.

CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD and SIDNEY GRANT

in

"JANE"

THURSDAY, MARCH 9th.

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG

in

"CAMILLE"

FRIDAY, MARCH 10th.

MATINEE AND NIGHT

MAURICE COSTELLO and NORMA TALMADGE

in

"THE CROWN PRINCE'S DOUBLE"

ALSO

Pearl White, Creighton Hale and Sheldon Lewis in "THE IRON CLAW"

SATURDAY, MARCH 11th.

MATINEE AND NIGHT

MIGNON ANDERSON

in

"THE MILL ON THE FLOSS"

Also a Comedy.

MONDAY, MARCH 13th.

BESSIE BARRISCALE

in

"THE GOLDEN CLAW"

ALSO

Webber and Fields in "The Masters Enemy"

TUESDAY, MARCH 14th.

JOSEPH KILGOUR and VIRGINIA PEARSON

in

"THE WRITING ON THE WALL"

Also Helen Holmes in "The Girl and the Game"

To the Ladies.

It affords us pleasure in announcing our display of spring hats for

Friday and Saturday, March 10th and 11th. We have a large and comprehensive line of all that's new in ladies' headwear, and cordially solicit a call from the women of this section.

Roberts & Mastin.

Mr. David Harris, who has been

in charge of a large greenhouse at Jackson, Tenn., has resigned and returned to this city to take charge of the Mt. Sterling Greenhouses.

Mr. Harris is a fine florist and an excellent gentleman and we are glad to welcome him again to our city.

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Mr. Buford R. Boone has moved

from the Ogg house on Harrison

avenue, recently sold to Joe Heinrich, to the Lane place, corner

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**PERSONALS**

Dr. Charles Duerson was in Winchester Monday.

Mrs. R. H. Winn visited her parents in Paris the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Chiles are in New York City this week.

Miss Anna K. Moss is visiting in Lexington, Covington and Cincinnati.

Mrs. Ella Barker, of Lexington, visited Mrs. L. E. Griggs the past week.

Mr. Lucien Beckner, of Winchester, was a business visitor here Monday.

Miss Alpha Enoch returned last Wednesday from a visit to friends in Ohio.

Mrs. Chas. Nelson, of Winchester, spent the week-end with Miss Ella Trimble.

Attorneys W. B. White and C. W. Nesbitt were in Louisville last week on business.

Master Wallace DeHaven is visiting Miss Nancy Yeager at her home in Stanford this week.

Capt. W. P. Titus, of Covington, was the guest of friends and relatives here last week.

Mrs. S. M. Hainline is in Mt. Sterling with her daughter, Mrs. P. R. Cockrell—Winchester Sun.

Mrs. F. F. Suter, of Lexington, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huls.

Miss Kathryian Strode, of Winchester, spent the week-end with relatives and friends in this city.

Misses Sallie and Lydia Clarke are in the East selecting spring stock for the K. O. Clarke Millinery Store.

Mrs. Mollie Bogie and daughter, Miss Margaret, returned home Thursday after an extended visit in the South.

Mrs. Mary Kendall returned to her home in Winchester Monday after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Thomson.

Mrs. Edward Shackelford and little daughter, of Catlettsburg, were guests of relatives here the first of the week.

Mrs. O. E. Wooley, who has been visiting her brother, Roy Alexander, has returned to her home at Charlestown, W. Va.

Miss Sallie Claiborne Eubank, of Clark county, spent a few days last week the guest of Miss Catherine Hadden.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scobee, who have been residing in this city for the past two years, have moved to their farm on the Howard's Mill pike.

Misses Eva Braton, of Lexington, and Elizabeth Lowry, of Paris, were the week-end guests of Mrs. John Robinson.

Mr. Wm. G. Dearing and wife have returned to their home in Whitesburg after a visit to Judge and Mrs. W. O. Chenault.

Mr. N. A. Moore, former Postmaster at Paris and one of Bourbon county's leading citizens, was here the first of the week.

Mrs. W. T. Swango was called to Mt. Sterling Saturday by the critical illness of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Cecil.—Winchester Sun.

Mrs. J. C. Ramey, of Paintsville, visited relatives and friends here last week and attended the Ramey-Clark wedding at Sharpsburg.

Misses May Stone and Helen Rue, of the Hindman Settlement School, spent several days the past week with Mrs. A. M. Bourne.

Mr. William C. Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. George Warren, of Lexington, spent Sunday in this city the guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Duerson.

Mrs. Anna Brown Moore, of Pikeville, and sister, Mrs. E. L. Rainey, of Paintsville, visited their cousin, Mr. Frank Brown, and family here last week.

Mrs. Shirley Mason and three children left last Wednesday for Stamford, Neb., where they will visit her father, Mr. B. W. Roe and family.

Mr. James Peters and sister, Miss Bettie Peters, of Owingsville, have leased rooms in the Marshall property on Clay street and have moved to this city to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Williams, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Sarah Hainline, in this city, will return to their home in New York next week.

Mr. S. J. Goodpaster, of Wallace, Mo., is visiting Mr. Frank Brown for a few days this week. Mr. Goodpaster brought a carload of tobacco to the Lexington market from Missouri last week.

Mr. W. D. Johnson and family, who have been residing at Lexington, Ill., for the past year, where they engaged in farming, have returned to this county, where they will reside in the future. They will live on the Grassy Lick pike.

Mrs. S. M. Cowles and baby, formerly of Frankfort, but now of Memphis, Tenn., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Thomson. Mr. Cowles was here a few days last week before leaving for Memphis where they will make their future home.

Mr. Charles H. Nesbitt, who has been spending several weeks with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Nesbitt, while he has been recovering from a recent illness, has returned to Knoxville, Tenn., to resume the position he has with the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Mr. Reid Ledford and family, who have been residing at Farmers, Rowan county, for the past year, where he has been engaged in farming with his father-in-law, Mr. Thomas, has returned to Montgomery county to reside. He is temporarily located with his father, Henry Ledford, on the Spencer pike.

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**SOCIAL EVENTS**

The second of the series of Germans to be given here by the recently organized German Club, was given at Ringo's Hall last night.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grimes have returned from Sharpsburg, Ky., where they attended the wedding of a cousin of Mr. Grimes, Miss Alma Katherine Clark to Mr. Oscar Clayton Ramey. The ceremony was said by Rev. Bowen, of Lexington, Ky., at the old Colonial house of the bride's widowed mother, Mrs. Emma Donaldson Clark, in the presence of about seventy-five relatives and friends from Chicago, Ill., Portsmouth, O., Paris, Carrollton, Bethel, Mt. Sterling, Georgetown and Sharpsburg, Ky. The attendants were the lovely young blonde sister of the bride, Miss Bessie Lee Clark, and the brother of the groom, Mr. J. A. Ramey. The bride was beautiful in typical, elegant, bridal attire, with wedding veil falling to the hem of the full flared skirt—made walking length. Her flowers were bride roses and valley lilies. The maid also was attired in an exquisite toilet of white, of modish fashion, and white—the flowers bride roses, secured with smilax, and delicate pink maline, in shade of the roses.

From the scene of the marriage the bridal party and wedding guests went in autos to the groom's old Kentucky home—a Southern mansion

—three miles distant from Sharpsburg, where a wedding feast of five courses was in waiting. This was served at four tastefully appointed tables—the decorations being green and white—the flowers bride roses, and carnations. At one table sat the bride and groom, with their attendants and closest young relatives and friends; at another were their young married relatives and friends;

at another their older married relatives and friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grimes and others; and at the other the mother, gowned in white crepe de chine, and the more elderly guests.

From the tables, in the immense dining room, guests repaired to the large living room, where the last of the five courses was served—this being bride's cake and coffee. The cake made by the groom's aunt, Mrs. Nannie Richardson, of Mt. Sterling, Ky., was "simply immense"—sixty egg whites having been used in its snowy composition. It was square, instead of round, and built in tiers

—three being the number—and fancifully iced. The bride and groom stood by the old mahogany, on which it was stationed, and the bride cut a slice of the delicious confection for each of the seventy-five or more wedding guests. Coffee was served with the cake—the ice having been served with fancy individual cakes with the fourth course at table. The happy couple will reside with the bride's mother at Sharpsburg. The wedding gifts were many and handsome, proving, in a measure, the esteem in which the bride and groom and their respective old Kentucky families are held.

—Portsmouth, (Ohio) Star.

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**THE SICK**

Mr. C. G. Thompson has about recovered from a siege of la grippe.

Mr. Roger Hedden has been suffering with bronchitis for the past few days.

Mrs. Fannie H. Priest, who has been suffering for the past ten days with a mild attack of pneumonia, is improving rapidly.

Miss Sallie Clarke, buyer, and Miss Lydia Clarke, designer, are now in the Eastern markets making purchases of the latest creations in new spring millinery.

**MRS. K. O. CLARKE.**

**UNCLE OF R. E. PUNCH  
DIES IN ROCHESTER, N. Y.**

Mr. J. J. Connell, of Rochester, N. Y., an uncle of Mr. R. E. Punch, of this city, died suddenly at his home last Wednesday of heart disease. Mr. Connell was a representative of L. Black & Co., makers of men's clothing, and frequently made this city, selling his line through Punch, Graves & Co. He was a man of high character and was exceedingly popular in this section where he had a host of friends and relatives who will be shocked to learn of his sudden death. A wife and four children survive.

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**LIVE STOCK SALES**

Robert E. Tipton and Hughes A. Kinsey of this county, bought last week at Versailles from Thomas F. Dunlap & Sons ten three-year-old mare mules for a price above \$200 each.

Thomas M. Greene, made the following purchases and shipments of stock the past week: Of A. S. Hart, 1,011 175-pound hogs at \$7.50 per hundred; of Clay Hoskins, two 550-pound heifers at 6 1/4 cents; of Tifford Bowen, two 500-pound heifers at 5 1/2 cents; two steers at \$6.35 per hundred and five 150-pound hogs at \$7.65; of W. Lois Thompson, ten 250-pound hogs at \$8.10 per hundred, and of Will Eubank, 11 last fall lambs, weight about 70 pounds, at \$4 each.

Cod fish at Sanitary Meat Market.

**MISSIONARY SOCIETY  
MEETS AT PARIS**

The annual State Conference of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist church, is in session at Paris this week. The following delegates from Mt. Sterling are in attendance: Mrs. Chas. Reis, Misses Ruth Wyatt, Clara Stephenson and Rebecca Jones. There will be quite a number of other persons from this city who will attend during the meeting, which will last till Friday.

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Newton D. Baker, former Mayor of Cleveland, has been selected by President Wilson for Secretary of War. His nomination will go to the Senate today and administration leaders expect quick confirmation so the new Secretary may take active charge of the War Department's plans for army increases and reorganization.

Mr. Baker is a lawyer and as leader among Ohio Democrats has been a warm supporter of the Wilson policies since the pre-convention campaign in 1912. He has been a close personal friend of Mr. Wilson since the latter was his instructor years ago at Johns Hopkins University, and was offered the post of Secretary of the Interior in the original cabinet, but declined because he then was Mayor. He is understood to be in thorough accord with the Mayor on the preparedness program and foreign

questions.

**RELIGIOUS**

There will be services at the Episcopal church Wednesday (Ash Wednesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock, and Sunday morning at 10:45.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold their all-day meeting with Mrs. Million Tuesday, March 14th, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

**THE W. B. KIDD SALE**

At the sale of the personal property belonging to W. B. Kidd, held near Sideview Thursday, an aged driving mare brought \$85; pair coming six-year-old work horses, \$90, and withdrawn and sold privately; Jersey cow, \$54; heifer, \$29; seven 105-pound shoats, \$7.90 per hundred. Farm implements and household goods brought fair prices, considering the quality of the offerings.

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### CLIPPINGS FROM THE SNAGTOWN TORCHLIGHT

George Robinson, for forty years a night watchman on Gulch avenue and known to the theatrical fraternity everywhere, died in South Hot Plunkville last week. He was a Louisianian by birth. As a boy he wore the gray and had an army of friends and acquaintances extending from ocean to ocean. Robinson was an old-timer. He knew the theatrical history of Kellytown from beginning to end. He flitted from the old Opera House bar to Jack Goodine's in wild as

well as the good old days. He knew the show people from star to property man. He was a generous chap and in his time he had assisted many a stranded member of the profession in getting rid of his coin and putting down the corn juice.

J. F. Cross, the postmaster, has installed a big, long woodstove at the postoffice to enable the mail carrier to warm his feet. Colonel Bob McRoberts had added two more strings to his fiddle and now can make either coarse or fine music.

John S. Claire got caught out in the frost the other night, and sought shelter under a persimmon tree, where he observed the unusual sight of seeing the persimmons ripen.

Judge Ledgerwood complains about the persimmon crop this year as usual. He says now the trees are too tall as the persimmons have so far to fall they mash when they hit the ground. The only remedy he can suggest is to saw off the top limbs.

One of the sure signs of a hard winter is the fact that H. C. Denton has a pair of new pants with deep pockets.

During a game of seven-up on a stump over near the Coon Hill church Monday morning, George Bean swapped a curry comb and a jug of Moonlight Reel to M. R. Edelbute for a calf and a lantern. Next Sunday George aims to surprise the Coon Hill preacher by presenting him with the calf when the hat is passed around.

While discussing the many difficulties of life at the postoffice the other day, Colonel Walter Ebel gave it as his opinion that the most difficult thing he ever tried to do was to whitewash a martin box on the inside.

Miss Margaret Isley has sent to Little Rock after some more Beauty Secrets. She ordered a consignment a while back but they got out on her.

Jack Goodine started to work yesterday digging a cistern at his home. He will dig as long as the dirt is loose.

E. F. Klein has swapped for a combination coon dog and blood hound.

John Roth, the Cincinnati Dove Brand Packer, passed through Snagtown Tuesday riding an old gray mule.

### Commissioner's Sale

#### MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT.

James E. Voris, &c. .... Plaintiffs

Vs.

C. W. Kirkpatrick, &c. Defendants

Notice of Sale in Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, 1916 thereof in the above styled case, the undersigned will, on

the 20th Day of March, 1916, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court Day), proceed to offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, at the Court House door in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, the property mentioned in the judgment, to wit:

A certain house and lot situated in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, on the East side of Harrison avenue and the North side of Mary street, beginning at a point where said streets intersect; thence with the Northern edge of Mary street in an Eastwardly direction 108 feet to a stake, a corner with Coleman Reid property; thence with the line thereof N. 50 feet to a stake in the line of the MacMahan property; thence with the line thereof in a Western direction 104 feet to Harrison avenue; thence with the line of same Southwardly 50 feet to the beginning, being the same property conveyed to Mary E. Adams by deed of D. N. Young, dated January 16, 1911, recorded in Deed Book 68, page 90, Montgomery County Court Clerk's office.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid.

Bond payable to Master Commissioner.

WM. A. SAMUELS,

35-3 Master Commissioner M. C. C.

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### OFFICER WASTED FEW WORDS

Conveyed Injunction Briefly, but Left Hearers With a Small Matter to Ponder Over.

Though the czar packed him away to the Caucasus and put others in his place at the head of the Russian levies sent to stem the tide of German invasion, Paris still cherishes its admiration of the tall, grim Grand Duke Nicholas. Nicholas, sometimes generalissimo of the armies of Muscovy. And it is in Paris that they still tell this story: One evening, when his forces lay near the Polish frontier, the grand duke gave orders that all the persons engaged in purveying supplies to the soldiers should be assembled at nine o'clock alongside the track where the grand ducal train was stalled for the night. "I have a highly important communication to make to the individuals in question," Nicholas explained.

Promptly at the hour named the invited guests were on hand and stood in line respectfully waiting. They did not wait long. In not above a minute the grand duke stepped out of his car facing the trades persons, and looked them over for several minutes in silence. Then he spoke:

"Gentlemen, what I have to say to you is very serious for you, and is comprised in exactly three words. Do not steal—or I'll hang every mother's son of you."

With that he turned on his heel and re-entered his car. The audience was at an end.

### ELEPHANT GIVES FIRE ALARM

Baby Pachyderm's Grants Save Large Menagerie From Flames Only Just in Time.

Credit should be forthcoming to Little Nemo. She, "the world's smallest elephant," at last has gained a legitimate story.

The J. H. Eschman World United Shows winters in a couple of vacant lots at Guinotte avenue and Salisbury street, Kansas City, in the East bottoms. There are ten cars. A spreading barn protects the animals.

The barnkeeper and assistants were playing rump in the private car of Mr. Eschman. They heard big grunts from Little Nemo. They rushed out. The interior of the barn was blazing. The elephant had kicked over a gasoline stove in the straw. "Cap" Watkins rushed in. Little Nemo was fast losing her senses in the smoke. It was dark and the "Cap" groped about, untied Nemo's halter and shouted, "Come, Nemo!" Nemo came.

In the meantime someone had called the fire department. Before it arrived other assistants had removed the South American llama and the wagon of screaming monkeys from the barn.

#### Activities of Women.

The maximum wages paid female stenographers in Ireland is three dollars per week.

Women munition workers in England are forbidden from wearing metal buttons on their blouses or metal hair pins in their hair.

The county courthouse in Kansas City, Kan., has room equipped with mirrors, powder puffs, etc., for the use of women jurors.

The young widows of the most exclusive set in Los Angeles have organized Merry Widows' club which has as its object the "pursuit of happiness."

Since King George was incapacitated by his accident from his duties of state, Queen Mary has proved a wonderful assistant and a woman of exceptional discrimination.

Mrs. Mary Moore is Philadelphia's first woman rural mail carrier. As the government does not appoint women mail carriers, Mrs. Moore got a man appointed to the route, which she drives as a substitute carrier, the government not objecting to permitting women to carry mails as substitutes.

#### New Safety Device.

A clever device to insure that not more than ten men at once shall ride on the mine cages is in use at the colliery of Jermyn & Company at Rendham. It consists of a turnstile with four spaces, which will revolve exactly two and a half times in one direction, thus admitting ten men. The turnstile revolves on a screw thread, or which there is just enough to permit the two and a half revolutions. Then the gate to that shaft is closed, and that to the adjoining shaft opened, and ten men are admitted by the turnstile revolving in the opposite direction to the cage in that shaft. The device stands between the two shafts. It is the invention of Supt. John Corcoran, and has been in use long enough for a thorough test. The only way to load more than ten men on either cage is for the extra man to climb over the turnstile or gate, and, of course, the headman will not permit that.

Mrs. Wilson's Lack of Jewelry.

One of the things that Washington is noticing about Mrs. Wilson is the fact that she, the owner of a jewelry business that has been established for a century, wears almost no jewelry herself. One really handsome ornament seems to be about all she cares for even on state occasions, and most frequently she wears none. People observed, with a grin of rather malicious delight, that the president went to St. Margaret's with Mrs. Wilson one Sunday. It was the first time, and downed the rumor that he was too good a Presbyterian to go inside an Episcopal church.—Washington Letter to Chicago Tribune.

### WAR, PAUPERISM AND CRIME

One of the principal results of a social nature worked by the present war in the British Isles is a great reduction in the amount of pauperism. War means employment, whole-time work, an inoculation of the whole industrial system with the vigorous toxin of military efficiency and energy. Thus, in London, the average number of casual paupers each Friday night, when they are counted, has fallen from 1,139 in 1910 to 225 in 1915. For the whole of England and Wales the drop during the same period was from 12,000 to 6,600, practically 50 per cent. Social reforms are in part responsible for the decrease, as after 1910 the liberal Government put into effect far-reaching improvements in care of the helpless. But the official accounts state plainly that the war is responsible for the major part of it. In the midst of the greatest war in history there are fewer people suffering in the British Isles than in the prosperous times of peace. We had a similar experience in this country during our Civil War. Crime as well as pauperism decreases in war, and it is reported that the famed Apache has disappeared from the streets of Paris.—Army and Navy Journal.

Even the Cincinnati Times-Star thinks that he critics of Mr. Wilson are straining a point in order to find fault with the Administration.

Says the Times-Star:

"Mr. Wilson's record in the White House has had its weak points in plenty—but we ought to maintain a sense of proportion and truth even in the criticism of political opponents. The President's silence after the invasion of Belgium was in line with the traditional American policy of non-interference in European struggles. It is consistent enough for those of us who feel very strongly about Belgium to object because the President did not protest, with the intention of backing up that protest by force. But the idea of an empty protest, unsupported by action or thought of action, is a very little thing upon which to base an extended criticism of the Administration's foreign policy."

Not what we have, but what we use; Not what we see, but what we choose—

These are the things that man or bless

The sum of human happiness.

The things near by, not things afar; Not what we seem, but what we are—

These are things that make or break, That gives the heart its joy or ache.

Not what seems fair, but what is true;

Not what we dream, but the good we do—

These are the things that shine like gems, Like stars in fortune's diadens.

Not as we take, but as we give; Not as we pray, but as we live—

These are the things that make for peace,

Both now and after time shall cease.

—Outlook.

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No use talking, fellows, this war must peter out. Thousands and thousands of lives are being sacrificed and the generals and admirals, can not get enough glory to go around. Even the kings, emperors and other fools can only tear off an occasional sniff.

While we are about it, let's inaugurate a campaign of preparedness against the deadbeats.

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## "RIDING" THE PAPERS

The following editorial in the last issue of the Richmond Climax-Madisonian contains much truth, if little "poetry":

"Everybody has his fad or hobby which he must unload on someone, and the press is the great dumping-ground for them all. The United States Government, the state government, and the various institutions of the country think that it is their especial privilege to ride the papers. However, the little two-by-fours in the various offices and departments and institutions are getting a good fat salary. They get up what they call "information" and dope it out to the papers with the expectation of the papers using their space and paying their employees to print the stuff of which nine-tenths is not fit for the waste-basket. The illiteracy commission, the tuberculosis commissions, the farm departments and innumerable other departments, pay out large salaries for clerk hire. But here the paying out stops. Then they expect to run it over the newspapers. If it is true that the public will be benefited by the publication of the matters thus prepared, the pay envelope need not stop just as it reaches the print shop. But there is where it is stopping under the present order of things. They expect the editor to go down in his jeans, pay his employees for setting up his stuff, use his space for the same and not even get 'thanks' for so doing."

## EDITOR DIDN'T MAKE GOOD

The editor of a country paper in Texas announced one week that he was going to print in his next issue the name and picture of the most gossipy, long tongued women in town. But the editor did not make good his promise; within an hour after the papers were mailed all the doctors of the community were battling frantically with twenty-seven cases of nervous prostration, while twenty-seven husbands, armed with shotguns, were lined up outside the door of the editor's office.—Ex.

Love is a mighty good thing in the home, but corn, beef and cabbage get there just the same.

## OHIO WOMAN'S WISH

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S. T. Greene, 62 Holt avenue, Mt. Sterling, says: "The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage, especially at night, but the flow was scanty. They also contained sediment. My sides ached and I had pains through my sides. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Durson's Drug Store, brought the best of results."

OVER EIGHT YEARS LATER, Mr. Greene said: "Doan's Kidney Pills always did me so much good that I am glad to speak in their praise every time I can."

50c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

## W. C. T. U. NOTES

(Contributed.)

The New York Tribune has declared that after April 1, 1916, it will no longer accept advertisements of alcoholic liquors.

Governor Lister, of Washington, after the State had only one month's trial of prohibition, expressed himself as "well pleased with results." "I frankly confess that I had expected some trouble in the larger cities at first, but I have been agreeably disappointed.

In Seattle and Tacoma, seaport cities, the new condition has been accepted without any marked disturbances."

In a recent report by the prosecuting attorney of Raleigh county, West Virginia, it is shown that crime has been reduced 75 per cent. and that the expenses of the courts of that county are only one-fourth of what they were before the prohibition law went into effect. The jury fees during the year before prohibition, were \$1,290; the year after prohibition they were but \$420.

M. Z. White, warden of the State prison of West Virginia, announces that during the last year, McDowell county, which has a large negro population, sent only seven of that race to the prison. Heretofore from 20 to 25 were sent each term of court.

Dr. Guthrie, head of the State Hospital for the Insane of West Virginia, recently announced that since the advent of prohibition, the admission to the institution for alcoholic insanity had decreased 90 per cent.

The new depositors who have opened savings bank accounts with Denver banks during the first month of prohibition approximate 2,050. Bank clearings for January, 1916, exceed those of January, 1915, by \$8,000,000.

"Prohibition certainly has had no detrimental effect on Denver," declared Henry J. Arnold, former Mayor of Denver. "The change from wet to dry naturally caused a temporary depression, by reason of the vacancies caused by the moving out of the saloons. But the effect was not permanent in any sense of the word, and business right now is better than it ever has been in the real estate business."

Governor Hunt, of Arizona, publicly favors prohibition.

Governor Carleson, of Colorado, strongly favors Prohibition and is using his influence to enforce the law.

Governor Clarke, of Iowa, is on the side of prohibition and law enforcement.

Governor Arthur Capper, of Kansas, is constantly proclaiming the benefits of prohibition in Kansas. All political parties of the State favor prohibition. The law in Kansas is drastic, requiring the report of the importation of liquor for personal use to county clerk, sending offenders to the penitentiary for the second offense.

### ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

At the last meeting of Mt. Sterling Lodge No. 723 B. P. O. Elks, the following were elected officers for the ensuing lodge year: Exalted Ruler, W. F. Crooks; Esteemed Leading Knight, Ben W. Hall; Esteemed Loyal Knight, Jno. White Trimble; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, Richard P. Winn; Secretary, E. W. Senff; Treasurer, J. O. Greene; Tiler, C. W. Kirkpatrick; Trustee, Joe H. Conner; Board of Governors, W. S. Lloyd, R. G. Kern, and W. B. White; Representative to Grand Lodge, W. F. Crooks; Alternate, R. G. Kern.

### For Sale.

My house and lot on Samuels avenue. Ewing A. Flynn. 36-2t Phones 48 and 727.

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The Advocate for printing.

## NEGROES REVOLT

As an echo of the recent Republican State Convention to recognize the "colored brother" to the extent of one-fourth of the delegate strength to the National Convention as has been the rule, a call has been issued for a meeting at Lexington, March 9th, of the State Republican Civic League, an organization of negro voters, by the president, George W. Gentry.

A statement has been issued by prominent members of the race that this meeting does not partake of the nature of a bolt but that it is simply a call for a conference. An invitation has been issued for all negro Republicans who want to see that every member of the party gets a "square deal" to meet with them.

George W. Gentry, the president of the league, lives in Stanford and has been a storekeeper-gauner un-

der Collector Hughes, of Danville, for some time. Rev. J. E. Wood, who also signed the call, is a preacher of Danville and editor of The Torchlight.

The text of the call states that the negro delegates to the State Convention at Louisville were told that they would have one delegate at large, and that they at that time protested against not being allowed their one-fourth representation. They therefore refused to accept the lone member, the announcement states. It is further charged that the Louisville convention was out of order in that they elected eight delegates instead of four delegates and four alternates in accordance with the advance announcements.

### VIRGINIA VOTES STATE-WIDE

The lower branch of the Virginia general assembly Saturday passed the Statewide prohibition bill 85 to 5. The bill has passed the Senate. One quart of whisky a month a person is the limit placed by the bill on importation of intoxicants from other States. The law will go into operation November 1st.

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A certain lot of land situated on the west side of Richmond street, in the city of Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Kentucky, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake on the west edge of the mettle of said Richmond avenue, corner with the land sold by B. J. Peters to Thos. Munnell, (now Josie Metcalf), thence leaving the said street N. 83 W. 33 1/2 poles to a stake in a clump of black locust trees corner with Metcalf; thence N. 1 E. 13 poles to a stake corner to C. B. Fizer; thence S. 83 E. 22 1/2 feet to a stake corner to Wm. Messer; thence S. 1 W. 60 feet to a stake corner to same; thence S. 83 E. 262 feet to a stake on the West edge of the mettle of said street; thence along the pike S. 1 W. 15 1/2 feet to the beginning and containing two acres and thirty five square poles of land and being same land conveyed to Henry & Florence Watson by deed of Fannie Caywood, dated March 3, 1911, and recorded in deed book 65 at page 290 Montgomery County Court Clerk's office, to produce \$3,679.54, so ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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Speaking of the old time hayseed, it is quite the thing now to pity the poor cuss from the city.

Keep up the fire—but be careful that you don't get scorched by it.

**CORRESPONDENCE****COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**  
(By Breckinridge Horton.)**Stoops.**

(By B. M. Goodan)

Movers are still on the go, but this week will see everything settled.

Seems like it's hard for March to get rid of that "lionish" appearance.

Thos. B. Hamilton leaves this week to take possession of the farm he bought in Woodford county.

An article in last week's Sentinel-Democrat, over the signature of S. T. Caudill, is endorsed by us.

Born, March 1st, to Jesse Pendleton and wife, a fine daughter.

Mrs. Bert Sanders has returned from a visit to her parents at Little Rock.

Thos. W. Fassett sold an aged driving horse to B. Frank Shrouet, of Flat Creek, for \$65.00.

When it comes to a "show down" in the U. S. Senate, seems as if the President "showed 'em."

Born, March 6th, to David Hayes and wife, a son.

News received from Thos. N. Coons, who recently went to Martinsville, Ind., is to the effect that he is doing fine.

Montgomery Toy will go shortly to South Dakota, where he will spend several months.

E. A. Groves and Clark Johnson have returned from a visit to the family of Thos. Caudill at Stanton, Ky.

Etmore Mince Meat, 3 boxes for 25 cents, at Vanarsdell's.

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**COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**

(By Breckinridge Horton.)

Prof. Milton Elliott, representing Ginn & Co., formerly the principal of the Lexington High School, visited us last Monday week and gave a very inspiring address to the Seniors and Juniors.

Committees were appointed last week from the four classes to investigate and report to the Improvement League conditions of the building and campus. It is likely that work toward improvement will begin soon.

Misses Mary Williams and Nancy Johnson, who were compelled to quite school last year on account of changing their homes, were enrolled in the Junior class last week. Their parents have returned to this county.

The Black and Old Gold Society met Friday. New officers were chosen as follows from the Junior class: Milton McClure, president; Gerald Cecil, vice-president; L. D. Lockridge, secretary, and Henry Barnes, critic.

Last Monday morning, Miss Williamson, a trained nurse of the Kentucky Tuberculosis Commission, who has been in this county for several days, delivered an instructive talk on the prevention of consumption.

The agricultural classes were given an examination Monday. The organization of a pig club was also discussed.

Mr. Richard Eubanks, of the Freshman class, returned Monday after several days' absence with the mumps.

Mr. Orville Alfrey, of the Sophomore class, is still among the absent.

Miss Sallie Clarke, buyer, and Miss Lydia Clarke, designer, are now in the Eastern markets making purchases of the latest creations in new spring millinery.

**MRS. K. O. CLARKE.**

Apples, oranges, bananas, grape fruit and lemons.

**Sanitary Meat Market.****A POSSIBILITY**

There is talk of a change in the proposed route of the Midland Trail, a transcontinental motor route linking the Atlantic with the Pacific, with the Eastern terminus at Washington City. If this change is made as contemplated, the highway route would be through Winchester, Mt. Sterling, Salt Lick, Morehead and on to Ashland. The Secretary of the Midland Trail Association will be in this city during the summer looking over the route. In the event Mt. Sterling is so fortunate as to be placed upon this route it will prove very advantageous to the business interests of this city.

Irish potatoes, 30 cents a peck, at J. B. White's.

**SELLS FARM**

T. F. Rogers, real estate agents, sold the farm of E. H. Moss of about 233 acres, located at the Levee, to Mr. D. C. May, of Langley, Ky. Mr. May will move with his family in a few days and take possession of the farm.

Try a can of Fortress Coffee, 30 cents per pound, at Vanarsdell's.

**GOES TO SOMERSET**

Mr. Irwin Wood has accepted a position with the Somerset News at Somerset, Ky., and left Monday to assume his new duties. Mr. Wood is a splendid young man and is sure to make good in the newspaper game, having a natural instinct for same. Thos. Owsley is editor and owner of this paper and W. F. Schoeler has recently been selected as business manager.

**Rooms for Rent**—4 large rooms on Harrison avenue, water and gas. (36-2t) Mrs. C. T. Wilson.

National Corn Flakes, 5 cents a package, at Vanarsdell's.

**MR. EMMETT FRATEMAN DEAD**

Mr. Emmett Frateman, of Owingsville, and well known in this city, died at his home in Owingsville Monday night after an illness of several weeks duration. Mr. Frateman was a genial, pleasant gentleman and his death will cause sorrow to many.

New tomatoes, beets, lettuce and onions, at Vanarsdell's.

**MARRY IN LEXINGTON**

Miss Fisher Greene, formerly of this city, and Mr. R. L. Smith, of Texas, were married in Lexington last week. The bride is a sister of Mr. Fulton Greene, of this city, and together with her husband spent several days with relatives here the past week. The groom is said to be a splendid business man, while his bride is an exceedingly popular and accomplished girl.

**Furniture**

High in quality—Low in price. Bank St. (34-4t) J. W. Baber.

"Sunbrite," a good cleanser, 5 cents a box, at Vanarsdell's.

**DIES AT ADVANCED AGE**

Mrs. Nancy Byrd, aged 83 years, died of the infirmities of age, Saturday afternoon at her home of her son, William F. Byrd, in this county. Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon and burial took place in Machpelah cemetery.

**For Sale or Rent**

Two story frame residence on Holt avenue, near County High School. Bath room, hot and cold water. Eight rooms and basement. Can give possession at once.

J. T. Ricketts, (35-2t) Phone 659 J-2

**DIES AT STEPSTONE**

Mrs. Ethel Donnoshew, wife of Samuel Donnoshew, of the Stepstone neighborhood, died Saturday at her home, of consumption. She is survived by her husband and one child. She was 24 years old. Burial took place in the Keith cemetery.

**Seed Oats.**

Call Phone 3 for extra good seed oats. (36-3t) McDonald Bros.

**We Beg to Announce**

That We Are Now Showing

# Hamburger Bros. & Co.'s

Complete Tailoring Line in the **LARGE ENDS**

Orders will be taken

Today and Tomorrow for spring suits by our Mr. Moses, who has been in the custom tailoring business in the City of Baltimore for many years.

**WALSH'S**

expert knowledge of how clothes should be finished, coupled with Hamburger's work, sets our tailoring ahead with people who know.

**The Walsh Company**

Incorporated

**QUAKER QUIPS**

Pay a man compliments and he won't make fun of your grammar.

Luck has an unpleasant habit of favoring those who don't depend on it.

Some people seem to regard friends merely as opportunities, to be taken advantage of.

Perhaps it's all right for a woman to be interested in business if it's her own business.

Even on the road to success some people never get there because they always want to change cars.

The man who has the greatest respect for his alma mater is the graduate from the school of experience.—Philadelphia Record.

Fresh caught fish dressed to order. Sanitary Meat Market.

**FUNNY ERROR**

The funniest thing that has happened in the House at the present session was the blunder by which Representative Johnson came into possession of a note from Mr. Hutchcraft to the Speaker. The note read: "Don't recognize Johnson, for if you do, he'll bring up that d—d hoop net bill, and it is more than likely to pass." After reading the note, the Speaker handed it to a page, presumably

to be returned to the writer, but the boy delivered it to the Marshall county man, and it made him

so mad that he got up and made his maiden speech without preparation, and it was a good one, too, altho the House politely but firmly declined to bring out the bill to allow hoop net fishing.

**Wanted**—To make butter engagements. Phone 714.

**Seed Oats.**

We have some extra good seed oats. Call Phone No. 3, for prices. (36-3t) McDonald Bros.

**WHAT IS HOME?**

Recently a London magazine sent out 1,000 inquiries on the question: "What Is Home?" In selecting the best responses the magazine was particular to see that every class was represented. The poorest and the richest were given an opportunity to express their sentiments. Out of the 800 replies, seven gems were selected as follows:

"Home, a world of strife shut out, and a world of love shut in."

"Home, the place where the small are great and the great are small."

"Home, the father's kingdom, the mother's world and the children's paradise."

"Home, the place where we grum-

ble most and are treated best." "Home, the place where our stomachs get three square meals daily and our hearts a thousand."

"Home, the only place on earth where the faults and failings of humanity are hidden under a sweet mantle of charity."

**TAKE THE DOG, YOU WIN**

Former Assessor John Ingles sold a lamb to J. D. Evans the other day because it insisted on chasing foxes and wouldn't stay at home. The lamb's mother early in its life disowned it and Mr. Ingles gave it to a dog which was raising a litter of hound pups.

The lamb suckled at the breast of the dog, grew up with the pups and waxed strong and fleet of limb. It rejoiced in the sport of the dogs and withal became quite a gay young thing. It ran rabbits to its heart's content, outstripping the dogs, but not knowing what to do with the rabbit when caught.

The lamb would butt hogs to beat the band, and when the dogs treed a coon it would stand at the foot of the tree and try to bark. Finally it got to chasing foxes and staying away from home so much Mr. Ingles thought the safest plan was to sell it.—Cynthiana Democrat.

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